#### PATENT APPLICATION

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#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR READING A MEMORY CELL

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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

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(X) Response/Amendment

( ) Petition to extend time to respond

( ) New fee as calculated below

( ) Supplemental Declaration

- No additional fee (X)
- Other: 3 return postcards (X)

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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS			=	0	×	\$50	\$	0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS			=	0	×	\$200	\$	0
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM + \$360						\$	0			
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00		MONTH 60.00	3RD MON \$1020.0		4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$	0	
OTHER FEES						\$				
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$	0				

o to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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# RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 4, 2005, Applicants hereby elect the species of Group II without traverse. Claims 7-21 are drawn to Group II.

Having thus addressed the Restriction Requirement imposed by the Examiner, reconsideration of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

Any inquiry regarding this Restriction Requirement should be directed to Philip S. Lyren at Telephone No. (281) 514-8236, Facsimile No. (281) 514-8332 or Christopher P. Kosh at Telephone No. (512) 231-0533, Facsimile No. (512) 231-0540. In addition, all correspondence should continue to be directed to the following address:

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